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**Subject:** FW: Atlantic Richfield's petition to US Supreme Court in Christian v. Atlantic Richfield  
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**From:** Genovese, Robert (BP) [mailto:Robert.Genovese@bp.com]  
**Sent:** Friday, April 27, 2018 3:46 PM  
**To:** Benevento, Douglas <benevento.douglas@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** Atlantic Richfield's petition to US Supreme Court in Christian v. Atlantic Richfield

Doug,

I have attached a copy of Atlantic Richfield's petition for a writ of certiorari filed today with the US Supreme Court for the *Christian v. Atlantic Richfield* litigation. Amicus briefs will be submitted by the end of May. All briefs will be filed by the end of July. The Court will consider the petition when it returns in September.

This litigation could have substantial impacts on the implementation of Superfund remedies, the EPA's authority under CERCLA, and the protections provided to cooperating PRPs through the consent decree process.

Let me know if I can provide any further information as I know that this case is of significant importance to the EPA.

Best Regards,

***Bob Genovese***

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